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In re U.S. Patent Application of)	
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Dharmadhikari, et al.)	
)	Examiner: Michel Graffeo
Application No. 10/526,285)	
)	Art Unit: 1614
Filing Date: March 2, 2005)	
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For: PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITION OF)	
METAXALONE WITH ENHANCED ORAL)	
BIOAVAILABILITY)	

AMENDMENT

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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

The final Office Action mailed June 16, 2006 has been carefully reviewed and this communication was prepared in response thereto. The Office Action set a three-month period for response, thus making this Amendment due on or before **September 16, 2006**. Concurrently filed herewith is a one-month extension of time. It is believed there is no other fee is due in connection with this filing; however, if a fee is due, the Office is authorized to charge such a fee to Deposit Account No. 19-0733.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on Page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on Page 6 of this paper.